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SUBJ: SC MEETING ON ME

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF REUTERS REPORT THAT HAS CAUSED  
BRIEF FLURRY IN NEW YORK:

"WEST GERMANY AND BRITAIN TODAY CALLED URGENTLY FOR A  
MEETING OF THE UN SC TO DISCUSS THE MIDDLE EAST CONFLICT.  
BRITISH PM HEATH ANNOUNCED THE JOINT MOVE AFTER WEEK-  
END SUMMIT TALKS HERE WITH WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR  
WILLY BRANDT. HEATH TOLD A PRESS CONFERENCE THAT HE AND  
THE CHANCELLOR WERE VERY MUCH IN AGREEMENT ON THAT STEP,  
AS THEY HAD KEPT IN CLOSE TOUCH WITH EVENTS IN THE MIDDLE  
EAST. 'WHAT WE AGREED IS THAT WE SHOULD DO OUR UTMOST TO  
GET THE MEETING OF THE SC', HE SAID. PM ADDED THAT  
INSTRUCTIONS WITH THIS AIM HAD BEEN SENT TO NY AND HE  
HOPED THAT THE MEETING WOULD BE HELD VERY SOON. 'THE  
AMERICANS WANT ONE AND I THINK THE AUSTRALIANS WANT ALSO.'

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SO FAR THE OTHERS HAVE NOT AGREED', HE SAID. AUSTRALIAN

AMBASSADOR SIR LAURENCE MCINTYRE IS THIS MONTH'S PRES OF SC. THE PM TOLD QUESTIONERS THERE HAD NOT BEEN ENOUGH TIME SO FAR TO FORMULATE A EUROPEAN VIEW ABOUT THE MIDDLE EAST CRISIS. HE HOPED IT MIGHT BE POSSIBLE TO GET SUCH A VIEW IN NEW YORK IN THE NEXT DAY OR SO."

2. UKUN SAID THAT IT BELIEVED REUTERS REPORT IS JUST RE-SERVING OF YESTERDAY'S COLD PORRIDGE. THEY ARE TAKING LINE HERE THAT THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE IN UK POSTURE, WHICH THEY HOPE IS QUITE CLEAR -- THAT IS, THAT UK WOULD LIKE TO SEE MEETING OF SC BUT DOES NOT WANT TO ASK FOR ONE.  
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